

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SAN FRANCISCO DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,)	No. CR 11-0033 WHA
)	
Plaintiff,)	STIPULATION AND PROPOSED ORDER
)	EXCLUDING TIME UNDER 18 U.S.C. § 3161
v.)	
)	
JORGE SOTELO-TIRANDO,)	
)	
Defendant.)	
_____)	

The parties appeared before the Court on February 15, 2011. With the agreement of counsel for both parties, the Court found and held as follows:

1. The parties agree to an exclusion of time under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161, from February 15, 2011 to March 15, 2011, in light of the need for the defense to review additional discovery and consider a plea offer. Failure to grant the requested continuance would unreasonably deny defense counsel reasonable time necessary for effective preparation of counsel, taking into account the exercise of due diligence.

2. Given these circumstances, the Court found that the ends of justice served by excluding the period from February 15, 2011 to March 15, 2011 , outweigh the best interest of the public and the defendant in a speedy trial. 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B)(iv).

3. Accordingly, and with the consent of the defendant, the Court ordered that the period from February 15, 2011 to March 15, 2011, be excluded from the Speedy Trial Act calculations under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A) and (B)(iv).

SO STIPULATED:

MELINDA HAAG
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DATED: February 22, 2011


/s/
PATRICIA SPALETTA
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DATED: February 22, 2011

/s/
Loren Stewart
Assistant Federal Public Defender

SO ORDERED.

DATED: February 28, 2011.


THE HON. WILLIAM H. ALSUP
United States District Judge